

MANY DOCTORS WILL MEET HERE

The American Medico-Psychological Association.

A STRONG ORGANIZATION.

A Large Number of Prominent Physicians Who Treat the Insane Will Come to Richmond. The Programme Here.

The American Medico-Psychological Association will meet at the Jefferson Hotel, in this city, from May 23d to May 25th inclusive.

This is one of the most select medical organizations of America, and its membership numbers nearly four hundred, together with a large number of honorary members in France, Germany, England, Scotland and other European countries.

The association is composed solely of



DR. JOSEPH G. ROGERS.
(President American Medico-Psychological Association.)

superintendents of hospitals for the insane and such other physicians as have taken an active part in the treatment of the insane. The meeting to be held here in May, will be the fifth-sixth annual meeting of the association, the third meeting that has ever been held in Virginia, the other two meetings having been held, one in Staunton, about thirty years ago, and the other at Old Point in 1885, and the first that has been held in the South for 12 years.

ORGANIZED IN 1844.

The association was organized in 1844, through the efforts of the late Dr. Stripling, who was for many years superintendent of the hospital at Staunton, and the first meeting was held in Philadelphia. There were only thirteen original members, there being but twelve hospitals for the insane in this country at that time. It was first known as the "Association of Medical Superintendents of American Institutions for the Insane," and the name was changed to the present name at the meeting held in Washington, in 1882.

Each object of the annual assembling of these physicians is to read and discuss papers on the treatment and care of the insane, and to discuss all matters relating to insanity. The officers of the association are:

President, Dr. J. G. Rogers, of Indiana, superintendent of one of the largest institutions in America; Vice-President, Dr. P. M. Wise, of New York city, chairman of the New York State Board of Charities, and one of the most prominent men in this country; Secretary and Treasurer, Dr. C. B. Burr, of Michigan; Superintendent of "Oak Grove Hospital," Flint, Mich. Auditors: Dr. T. J. Mitchell, superintendent of the State Hospital at Staunton, Va.; Dr. J. H. Barringer, superintendent of the State Hospital at Raleigh, N. C.; Dr. J. W. Babcock, S. C. P. C. Hoyt, Iowa; J. T. Burgess, Canada.

PROMINENT MEMBERS.

Among the prominent members of the association are: Drs. Landon Carter Gray, Allen McLane Hamilton, Frederick Peterson, and J. J. Kindrad, of New York; Charles H. Hughes, of St. Louis; S. Weir Mitchell, of Philadelphia; B. Richardson, superintendent of the State Hospital at Washington; T. O. Powell, Georgia State Hospital; J. F. Miller, Eastern North Carolina Hospital; Henry M. Hurd, superintendent of Johns-Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore; B. D. Evans, New Jersey; D. R. Brower, of Chicago, formerly superintendent of Williamsburg, Va. Hospital; E. N. Brush, Indiana; Daniel Clark, Toronto; John B. Chappin, Philadelphia; Charles G. Hill, Mount Hope Hospital, Baltimore; C. A. Bloomer, Rhode Island; T. J. Estridge, Denver, Col.; H. A. Tomlinson, Minn.; J. L. Hildreth, Mass.; Edward Coles, McLane Hospital, Mass.; John Curwen, State Hospital, Warren, Penn.; P. L. Murphy, superintendent North Carolina Hospital; H. P. Stearns, superintendent of Hartford, Conn. Retreat; A. E. MacDonald, Manhattan State Hospital, N. Y.; J. J. Kindrad, New York; Richard Dewey, superintendent Milwaukee Sanitarium, Wisconsin; W. C. Charles, F. Folsom, Boston, Mass.; T. O. Powell, Melvilleville, Ga.; and others.

THE PROGRAMME HERE.
The first meeting of the session will be held Tuesday morning, May 22d, at



DR. C. B. BURR.
(Secretary and Treasurer American Medico-Psychological Association.)

10 o'clock, and there will be three sessions each day.

Governor J. Hoge Tyler will deliver the address of welcome, Mayor Taylor will welcome the physicians to the city, and Dr. J. N. Upshur will deliver the address of welcome on the part of the Richmond physicians.

Dr. J. Allison Hodges, of Richmond, will deliver the annual address before the association. Dr. Upshur is a member, but it is the custom of the association to invite some distinguished physician, not a member, to deliver the annual address.

The Committee on Arrangements is: Dr. W. F. Dewey, superintendent of the Central State Hospital at Peters-

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MAYOR'S FATHER A NONAGENARIAN

Mr. William Taylor Very Active for His Age.

WAS A GREAT OLD-LINE WHIG

A Democrat in State and Local Politics—A Successful Merchant and Strictly Temperate—Never Drank, Chewed or Smoked.

Mr. William Taylor, the oldest citizen and politician of note in the city, is hale and hearty at the age of ninety, and goes about among his friends many years younger than himself.

Mr. Taylor is the father of Mayor Richard M. Taylor, and was at one time the best-known as well as the largest wholesale and retail grocer in the State. Everything that he touched while he was in business seemed to "turn to gold." He was straightforward and honest in all business relations.

This well-known nonagenarian saw light on the 1st day of May, 1810, and from his youth displayed a remarkable insight into business.

AN OLD-LINE WHIG.
In former days Mr. Taylor was one of the staunchest followers of Henry Clay, and voted the Whig party ticket as long as there was any one on it. He affiliated with such celebrated politicians as the late John Minor Botts, John F. Lewis,



MR. WILLIAM TAYLOR.

Williams C. Wickham, Franklin Stearns and others. One of his greatest desires of the present day is to gather his friends together and tell of the wonderful old Whig party and how Henry Clay fought to get the Presidential chair. He has been a sufferer for over four years from severe attacks of rheumatism and kidney trouble, probably contracted by exposure on hunting expeditions and wading trout streams. I tried many remedies, the patent and other kind, but none of them seemed to do me any good. I was persuaded by an old and valued friend to try Swamp-Root, and, frankly confess, that it has benefited me as no other medicine has. I now feel like myself again. I do not have the constant aches and pains which at one time seemed to make life unbearable. It is a positive benefit in ailments of this kind. I always keep it in the house, as it is just as necessary as bread and butter.

Very Respectfully,
Theodore Van Wyck

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MR. TAYLOR'S CHILDREN.
His children are: Dr. William H. Taylor, Coroner of the city; Joshua S. Taylor, a prosperous farmer of Hanover county; John O. Taylor, a grocery merchant of East Main Street; Charles F. Taylor, of the firm of Charles F. Taylor & Co., as well as Fire Commissioner; Richard M. Taylor, Mayor of the city; Mrs. Ellen J. Dinns, Mrs. Cornelia C. Cooke, Mrs. James H. Chatham, Mrs. Virginia Baker, and James Taylor. The last two died some years ago.

Mr. Taylor has retired permanently from business life, and is spending the remainder of his days enjoying the company of his many friends and the comfort of a quiet home and congenial surroundings.

Still Alarm.
A fire broke out yesterday afternoon in Nos. 301 and 303 South First Street, two small houses occupied by colored people and owned by J. H. Stout. The fire originated from a defective stove. The damage to household goods amounted to about \$25. The roofs were badly burned. The loss to the buildings is covered by insurance.

Whitehead Improves.
Mrs. D. G. Whitehead continues to improve. She was able to speak this evening, although very indistinctly.

Two Men Drowned.
IRVINGTON, VA., March 17.—Special.—A canoe containing two colored men and a boy was capsized near Weem's Wharf this morning. One of the men, a colored man, was drowned, but the boy was saved. The bodies have been recovered.

Asks Congress to Act.
The resolution offered by Sen. S. S. Patterson in the House on March 3d passed both branches of the General Assembly, and not just the House alone, as the Washington Star stated in criticizing it. The resolution asks the national House of Representatives to amend the constitution so as to allow the senators from this State to be elected by the direct vote of the people, and not the General Assembly.

Fruit Not Hurt.
ATLANTA, GA., March 17.—Few reports have been received at the Agricultural Department in the last few days regarding the effect of the cold weather on the fruit crop of the State, but it is not believed that any considerable damage has been done.

Town Hall Vote Defeated.
CRIFWE, VA., March 17.—Special.—The special freeholders' election, which was held here yesterday for the purpose of deciding the question of building a new town hall, went against building the hall by a vote of thirty-four to fourteen.

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